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Title: COMPUTER OPERATING SYSTEM THAT DEFINES DEFAULT
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Applicant has reviewed the final Office Action mailed on October 3, 2000. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

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1. (Twice Amended) A graphical user interface for a computer, comprising:
a [primary] screen;
a predetermined file-container icon displayed on the [primary] screen; and
one or more file-operation dialog boxes which are accessible by one or more
application programs of the computer and which are defined independently of the one or
more application programs to specify a file container associated with the predetermined
file-container icon as a default document container for files related to the one or more
application programs.

2. (Unchanged) The graphical user interface of claim 1, further comprising a
destination menu item associated with a file to permit the file to be moved or copied to
the file container associated with the file-container icon.